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PART V.

Season Report for the week ending with the Forty-third Saturday in October 1931
(~~24th~~ *October* 1931.)

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M on Saturday 24th October 1931										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1931									
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
BANGALORE												Seers	Seers	Seers
Bangalore City & Taluk	1	30	0	50	23	80	27	44	—3	64				
Hoskote ...	0	45	1	37	21	74	27	93	—6	19				
Dodballapur ...	0	40	0	63	22	67	23	15	—0	48	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	5·50
Nelamangala ...	0	80	0	71	22	97	23	23	—0	26				
Kankanhalli ..	0	37	0	72	13	08	21	92	—8	84	Ragi	20·00	23·00	12·00
Magadi ...	0	53	0	89	21	26	26	34	—5	08				
Channapatna ...	1	40	1	48	17	02	24	36	—7	34	Kulthi	13·00	13·00	12·00
Anékal ..	1	15	0	83	18	34	49	84	—31	50				
Devanhalli ..	0	43	0	77	14	49	22	62	—8	13	Kadale	7·00	7·00	5·00
Closepet ...	0	33	0	85	18	31	23	98	—5	67				
District average ...	0	71	0	87	19	37	27	08	—7	71				
KOLAR														
Kolar ...	0	87	0	78	17	20	21	56	—4	36				
Bowringpet ..	0	00	0	76	16	15	22	15	—6	00				
Chintamani ..	1	75	0	78	11	70	23	94	—12	24	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	5·00
Mulbagal ...	2	60	0	94	21	83	24	58	—2	75				
Sidlaghatta ...	2	72	0	40	14	22	24	18	—9	96	Ragi	20·00	22·00	15·00
Chikballapur ...	2	07	0	59	21	15	26	56	—5	41				
Bagepalli ...	4	00	0	25	20	85	23	47	—2	62	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	15·00
Goribidnur ...	2	52	0	42	19	25	21	35	—2	10				
Malur ...	1	52	0	54	18	00	25	16	—7	16	Kadale	8·00	8·00	5·00
Srinivaspur ..	0	85	0	93	13	70	23	78	—10	08				
Gudibanda ...	2	40	0	21	5	84	23	39	—7	55				
District average ...	1	94	0	60	17	26	23	65	—6	39				
TUMKUR														
Tumkur ...	0	61	0	42	24	65	25	94	—1	29				
Madhugiri ...	0	81	0	28	16	38	21	55	—3	17				
Chiknayakanhalli ..	0	48	1	22	24	53	22	21	+2	32	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	8·00	4·50
Sira ...	0	16	0	50	13	19	15	63	—2	44				
Gubbi ...	0	51	0	44	21	00	20	82	+0	18	Ragi	26·30	30·00	10·00
Tiptur ...	0	00	0	38	14	58	17	31	—2	73				
Pavagada ..	0	36	0	39	9	77	16	25	—6	48	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	10·00
Kunigal ..	1	54	0	94	20	63	25	23	—4	60				
Koratagere ...	1	08	0	35	11	26	19	66	—8	40	Kadale	8·00	8·00	4·50
Turuvekere ...	0	20	0	63	16	76	22	14	—5	38				
District average ...	0	57	0	63	17	47	20	67	—3	20				

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		This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1931							
						This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7	
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I	c.		
MYSORE	Mysore ...	0	44	16	93	17	37	21	91	—4	54		
	Chamrajnagar ...	2	61	14	47	17	08	18	66	—1	58		
	Seringapatam ...	1	02	12	15	13	17	20	31	—7	14		
	Hunsur ...	0	05	22	44	22	49	23	90	—1	59		
	Yedatore ...	0	90	20	33	21	23	20	48	+0	75		
	Heggaddevankote ...	0	50	25	48	25	98	31	43	—5	45		
	Gundlupet ...	0	41	13	36	13	77	20	57	—6	80		
	Nanjangud ...	0	68	13	92	14	60	23	07	—8	47		
	T.-Narsipur ...	1	00	11	47	12	47	21	81	—9	34		
	Malvalli ...	1	62	13	56	15	18	20	35	—5	07		
	Mandya ...	0	50	12	51	13	01	19	87	—6	86		
	Krishnarajpete ...	0	96	27	36	28	32	24	29	+4	03		
	Nagamangala ...	0	00	15	98	15	98	21	56	—5	58		
	Periyapatna Sub-Tk ...	0	55	25	33	25	88	3	62	+22	36		
	Maddur ...	0	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	—2	00		
	District average ...	0	80	17	60	18	40	20	92	—2	52		
HASSAN	Hassan ...	0	13	1	39	32	22	27	26	+4	96		
	Manjarabad (Saklespur) ...	0	38	1	49	124	37	96	90	+27	47		
	Arkalgud ...	1	09	1	19	26	95	37	59	—10	64		
	Belur ...	0	28	1	05	38	00	36	28	+1	72		
	Channarayapatna ...	0	00	1	69	23	97	23	35	+0	62		
	Arsikere ...	0	73	0	92	16	26	22	02	—5	76		
	Hole-Narsipur ...	0	00	1	34	20	36	23	58	—3	22		
	Alur ...	0	59	1	76	36	68	37	24	—0	56		
	District average ...	0	40	1	35	39	85	38	02	+1	83		
SHIMOGA	Shimoga ...	0	94	1	09	28	77	28	66	+0	11		
	Channagiri ...	0	70	0	78	20	21	25	22	—5	01		
	Honnali ...	0	55	1	00	17	98	20	18	—2	20		
	Shikarpur ...	1	37	0	81	35	25	32	23	+3	02		
	Sorab ...	0	67	0	88	65	17	56	74	+8	43		
	Sagar ...	0	77	0	79	92	90	85	20	+7	70		
	Nagar (Kallurkatte) ...	0	00	0	46	119	70	102	72	+16	98		
	Tirthahalli ...	0	45	1	37	129	65	119	29	+10	36		
	Kumsi ...	0	55	0	66	29	79	37	44	—7	65		
	District average ...	0	66	0	87	59	93	56	40	+3	53		
KADUR	Chikmagalur ...	1	10	0	82	30	89	29	48	+1	41		
	Kadur ...	0	92	0	61	14	63	20	43	—5	80		
	Tarikere ...	0	38	0	86	31	10	30	41	+0	69		
	Koppa ...	0	15	0	91	129	78	115	85	+13	93		
	Mudgere ...	0	17	1	19	103	23	89	84	+13	39		
	Narasimharajapura ...	0	00	1	01	73	86	73	19	+0	67		
	Sringeri ...	0	64	0	90	158	26	153	07	+5	19		
	District average ...	0	48	0	90	77	39	73	18	+4	21		
CHITALDRUG	Chitaldrug ...	0	52	0	84	16	94	20	35	—3	41		
	Challakere ...	0	20	0	81	9	99	14	72	—4	73		
	Hiriyur ...	0	69	0	88	7	70	16	99	—9	29		
	Holalkere ...	0	60	0	70	18	45	20	71	—2	26		
	Davangere ...	0	50	1	19	19	82	22	33	—2	51		
	Molakalmuru ...	0	77	0	46	12	76	19	13	—6	37		
	Jagalur ...	0	30	0	50	17	05	18	32	—1	27		
	Hosdurga ...	0	96	0	79	17	21	20	08	—2	87		
	Harihar ...	0	35	0	63	15	93	17	74	—1	81		
	District average ...	0	54	0	76	15	09	18	93	—3	84		
	Provincial average ...	0	76	2	85	33	09	34	85	—1	76		

	This week	Past week	Average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort	7·00	7·00	7·00
Ragi	20·00	20·00	11·00
Kulthi	13·00	13·00	11·00
Kadale	8·00	8·00	5·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	6·00
Ragi	22·00	22·00	16·00
Kulthi	15·00	14·00	14·00
Kadale	6·00	6·00	6·00
Rice 2nd sort.	10·00	9·50	4·34
Ragi	32·00	32·00	9·54
Kulthi	14·00	14·00	6·95
Rice, 2nd sort	9·00	9·00	6·00
Ragi	27·00	30·00	10·00
Kulthi	16·00	16·00	10·00
Kadale	8·00	8·00	6·50
Rice, 2nd sort.	·00	9·00	5·00
Ragi	25·00	3·00	10·00
Kulthi	16·00	20·00	8·00
Cholum	23·00	25·00	12·00
Kadale	8·00	8·00	5·00

NOTE.—Rice husked—Oryza Sativa
Ragi Eleusine Corocana.
Kulthi (Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare
Kadale (Bengal gram) Cicer Arietinum

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. 1. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

2. *Seeds sown.*—Nil.

3. *Harvest.*—Ground nut is being harvested in parts of Anekal Taluk.

4. *State of Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, kulthi and sereals are reported to be in good condition.

5. No damage is done to crops.

6. Rain is badly wanted in all parts.

10. Good. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available. Black quarter is prevailing in Uyyamballi in Kankanhalli Taluk.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil,

Standing crops.—Standing crops such as paddy, ragi, avare, thogari same, sajje, haraka, hurli and ground-nut are reported to be in a good condition.

Crops sown.—Hurali is being sown in Bethamangala and Kyasamballi Hoblis of Bowringpet Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Potatoes, onions and groundnuts are being harvested in Chikballapur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food grains stationary. Labour is available.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy except for the prevalence of Sapperoga in parts of Chikballapur Taluk. Fodder, water and pasture are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, nati-ragi, navane, avare, thogari, haraka, castor, korale, horsegram, groundnut and tobacco, are reported to be in good condition but withering for want of rain.

Crops harvested.—Paddy and sugar-cane in Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

Works have been started to find labour for coolies by certain panchayets in Sira Taluk.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the District. Water and fodder are available throughout the District except in parts of Pavagada where State Forests are thrown open for free grazing.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, avare, thogari, til, sugar-cane, mulberry, kulthi, greengram, castor, chillies, cotton, Bengaligram, coriander, groundnut and tobacco are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Coriander and Bengal-gram are being sown in Krishnarajpete Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of Nagamangala and Krishnarajpete and Seringapatam Taluks and kar-ragi, jola and til in Hunsur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available in sufficient quantity. Recent rains were in time for the standing crops in the taluks of Chamrajnagar, Nanjangud Seringapatam, T.-Narsipur and Malvalli. In the other Taluks the crops are in need of rain.

11. Water and fodder are available. Cattle are reported to be healthy except the prevalence of Chapperoga in Bommalapura village in Krishnarajpete Taluk. The Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department has been written to, in the matter.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Paddy in the Hassan, Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; ragi in the Hassan, Arkalgud and Channarayapatna Taluks; avare in the Hassan Taluk and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; togari and kulthi in the Hassan and Arkalgud Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; chillies in the Hassan and Arkalgud Taluks; sugar-cane in the Arkalgud Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks, and in the Alur Sub-Taluk, and castor in the Arkalgud Taluk are reported to be generally in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane is being harvested in some parts of the Alur Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good. Standing crops in the Hassan, Channarayapatna, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks are reported to be in need of rains urgently.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane and paddy in all the Taluks; ragi in Honnali, Sorab, Shikarpur, and Channagiri Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; jola and groundnut in Honnali and Channagiri Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—It is reported that groundnut in Channagiri and Honnali Taluks; ragi in Shimoga, Channagiri, Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks, gingelly in Shimoga Taluk are being reaped.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food grains are available and their prices are fairly study. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District. Water and fodder for cattle are available in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks of the District.

KADUR.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—The land is being ploughed in Kadur taluk.

2. *Crops sown.*—Coriander in Kadur and Tarikere Taluks.

3. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, avare, sugar-cane, ragi, coffee, cardamom, cholam, horsegram, castor, togari, save, navane, coriander, groundnut, arecanut and pepper are reported to be in good condition. But it is reported that arecanut crop has suffered in some parts of Sringeri Sub-Taluk due to Koleroga.

4. *Crops harvested.*—Jolum, til, navane, wheat and groundnut in Kadur Taluk; arecanut, in Tarikere, Koppa Taluks; and also in Sringeri Sub-Taluk, cardamom in Mudgere Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair and food grains are available and their prices are steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the District.

Water and fodder for cattle are available in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks of the District.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

Agricultural operations.—Harvesting operations are reported to be going on in all the Taluks except Challakere and Harihar.

Seeds sown.—Challakere:—Ragi, under Kapile wells.

9. *State of Standing crops.*—Standing crops are reported to be withering for want of sufficient rains.

Crops harvested.—Chitaldrug.—Groundnut, jola and blackgram, 8 to 10 annas; Hiriyur.—Ragi; Holalkere.—Greengram and blackgram, 8 annas; groundnut, 4 annas; til, 12 annas and jola, 8 annas; Davangere:—Til and groundnut, 8 annas; Molakalmuru:—Navane, jola, sajje and castor; Jagalur—Groundnut and til, 8 annas, Hosdurga:—Jola, 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Rains are urgently required throughout the District. The prices of food stuffs are showing a tendency to rise on account of inadequate rainfall. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for Rinderpest in Nandihalli, Bahadurgatta and Kogunde villages of Chitaldrug Taluk and in Konsagara in Molakalmuru Taluk. Throat disease and Chappe roga prevail in Chikbennur of Chitaldrug Taluk and Uppalagere village of Hiriyur Taluk respectively. Veterinary Inspectors are taking measures to check the spread of the disease. Fodder and water are available.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Bangalore, Dated 27th October 1931.

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Revenue Commissioner.